

# BOARD OF REGENTS FOR ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION

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## MEETING TO BE HELD AT:

Cumberland High School  
2600 Mendon Rd.  
Cumberland, RI 02864

Thursday, January 7, 2010 4:00 p.m.

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## A G E N D A

1. Commissioner's Report
2. Public Remarks
3. Chairman's Remarks
4. Approval of Minutes of the Board of Regents Meeting of December 3, 2009; December 3, 2009, Executive Session; and December 17, 2009, Work Session

### APPROVAL ITEMS

5. Approval of Appeals  
[Enclosure #5]  
Town of West Warwick v. West Warwick School Committee  
RECOMMENDATION: That, in the Matter of the Town of West Warwick v. the West Warwick School Committee, the Decision of the Commissioner is Upheld.
6. Approval of Members to Rhode Island School for the Deaf Board of Trustees  
[Enclosure #6]  
RECOMMENDATION: That, the Board of Regents for Elementary and Secondary Education Approve Appointments of Members to the Rhode Island School for the Deaf Board of Trustees, as Presented.
7. Approval of Comprehensive Early Childhood Education Program Regulations  
[Enclosure #7]  
RECOMMENDATION: That, the Board of Regents for Elementary and Secondary Education Approve the Comprehensive Early Childhood Education Program Regulations, as attached.
8. Approval of Strategic Plan  
RECOMMENDATION: That, the Board of Regents for Elementary and Secondary Education Approve the Strategic Plan, as attached.

9. Endorsement of RTTT Application and Signature Authorization for the Chairman  
RECOMMENDATION: That, the Board of Regents for Elementary and Secondary Education Endorses the Race To The Top Application, as presented; and Authorizes the Chairman of the Board of Regents to Sign the Application.

#### DISCUSSION ITEMS

10. Discussion of Protocols for Interventions in Schools
11. Central Falls Facilities Update
12. Executive Session  
a. Collective Bargaining/Update/Approval of 2012 Tentative Agreement  
[RIGL 42-46-5(a)(2)]

#### Agenda for Future Meetings

The next meeting of the Board of Regents will be a work session and is scheduled on January 21 from 11:30 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. in the Shepard Building, Room 501. Additional information about the agenda is available in the Office of the Commissioner of Education, Shepard Building, 255 Westminster Street, Providence, RI 02903. The Shepard Building has been deemed accessible to those with disabilities by the State Building Commissioner. Individuals requesting interpreter services for the hearing impaired or needing other accommodations, please call 401-222-8468 or RI Relay 1-800-745-5555 at least 48 hours in advance of the meeting.